

House Resolution No. 351

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives regard the birth of a child as one of life's most rewarding and miraculous events; and

Whereas, it is with great pride and sincere admiration that this legislative body pauses to acknowledge the arrival of a very special addition to the citizenry of the great state of Missouri: Triston Douglas Walker; and

Whereas, on January 29, 2003, at 9:59 a.m., little Triston Douglas Walker was born to proud and loving parents Doug and Christina Walker, who reside in the wonderful community of Auxvasse, Missouri; and

Whereas, it was on that memorable day that Triston Douglas was welcomed into the world by the faces of his smiling parents, who had been anxiously awaiting the birth of their first child; and

Whereas, Triston Douglas tipped the baby scales at seven pounds and fifteen ounces upon his birth at Audrain Medical Center in Mexico, Missouri; and

Whereas, Triston Douglas has been abundantly blessed with the love and admiration of his grandparents, Ruth and Mark Van Duyne of Mexico and Leah and Randy Walker of Auxvasse, and his great-grandparents, Margret and William Woodward of Pennsylvania and Lajinina and Jess Etheridge of Illinois; and

Whereas, Triston Douglas will undoubtedly receive a lifetime of love, support, and encouragement from all the devoted members of his family, who have welcomed him into their hearts as a precious gift from God:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in welcoming Triston Douglas Walker to his first days of Missouri citizenship, and in extending our most heartfelt congratulations and best wishes to his proud parents at the beginning of a new life together as a family of three; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Doug and Christina Walker.

Offered by _____
Representative Steve Hobbs
District No. 21

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 351, adopted February 12, 2003.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker